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SUBJECT: BRIEFINGS FOR MEMBERS INTERNATIONAL PRESS  
INSTITUTE

1. WILLIAM BLOCK, PUBLISHER PITTSBURG POST GAZETTE, IS  
ARRANGING ON BEHALF INTERNATIONAL PRESS INSTITUTE EUROPEAN  
TOUR FOR 30-35 MEMBERS. GROUP CONSISTS OF PUBLISHERS AND  
EDITORS HALF WHOM AMERICANS, HALF EUROPEANS.

2. THROUGH EC OFFICE WASHINGTON BLOCK MAKING ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR BRIEFINGS AND DISCUSSIONS WITH EC OFFICIALS ON EC  
INTERESTS AND CONCERNS JANUARY 21-22.

3. WOULD LIKE ARRANGE SIMILAR PROGRAM JANUARY 23 AT NATO  
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WITH BRIEFINGS IN MORNING 10:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M. AND

CONTINUATION DISCUSSIONS ON Q AND A BASIS AFTER LUNCH.  
GIVEN COMPOSITION OF GROUP, BLOCK SEEMED MOST INTERESTED  
IN BRIEFINGS BY 2-3 SPEAKERS FROM NATO INTERNATIONAL  
STAFF.

4. IMMEDIATE INTEREST IS WHETHER DATE AND PROGRAM AS  
PROPOSED AT NATO IS FEASIBLE. WOULD APPRECIATE TELEGRAPHIC  
REPLY.

5. GROUP REPRESENTS VERY INTERESTED AND INFLUENTIAL  
MEMBERS FOURTH ESTATE AND WE HOPE NATO CAN ACCOMMODATE.

6. WE UNDERSTAND BLOCK WILL BE WRITING CHIEFS OF MISSIONS  
INDEPENDENTLY PERHAPS TO ARRANGE PRIVATE MEETINGS WITH  
THEM FOR GROUP'S AMERICAN PARTICIPANTS. RUSH

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